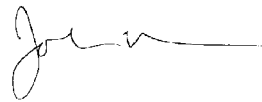


Remarks

Applicants respectfully submit that all claims are in condition for allowance.  
Should the Examiner require anything further to place the application in better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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